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e interns make their protests heard at the Professional Asstions Complex in Shrueisani. (Staff photo by Yousef Al Allan)

nterns protest over test

MAN, May 17 (J.T.) - Several of the 140 medical interns who their final written examination yesterday at the Professional ciations Complex in Shmeisani have protested against the dift questions put to them, particularly in the field of paediatrics. protest was submitted yesterday to the Doctors Trade Union. he president of the Jordanian Medical Association, Dr. Nabih ammar, has said that despite the interns' protest, the passing rate hose who took the examination was good. He said the exaation covered internal medicine and paediatrics and that tomw's examination will cover surgery and general health. Oral ninations will follow on Tuesday and Wednesday.

r. Mu'ammar added that the examination committee will assess -juestions and the controversy over them after the examinations. committee will study the rate of passing and will take into ideration the language problem, he said. r. Mu'ammar said that the result of the final written examination

be announced tomorrow evening.

Syria: No deal with Israel

AASCUS, May 17 (Agencies) - Syria had no agreement, tacit herwise, with Israel limiting the movements of the mainly Syrian Deterrent Force (ADF) in Lebanon, according to an official an source.

ormer U.S. undersecretary of state for political affairs Joseph said Friday that Syria had contravened an understanding he ed draft five years ago by stationing missiles in Lebanon. rael has also said there was a tacit agreement limiting the role of ADF and its arms.

-1e Syrian source said the government denied this categorically affirmed that no direct or indirect agreement, public or tacit, had concluded between Syria and Israel.

r. Sisco had said in New York that Syria had agreed in 1976 it d not set up missiles in Lebanon, would restrict the activities of :acekeeping forces to behind a "redline" roughly 30 kilometres 1 of the Israeli border and would not use its air power in Leb-

it Damascus Radio said the claims of an agreement were mere ations by "Israeli enemy circles and some American circles." ırlier this month, İsraeli Labour Party leader and former defence ster Shimon Peres said basically the same thing as Mr. Sisco.

Hussein in Riyadh for top-level talks

RIYADH, May 17 (JT/Agencies) — His Majesty King Hussein and his delegation arrived here today for a visit to Saudi Arabia and talks with King Khaled Ibn Abdul Aziz and senior Saudi Arabian officials.

by the Saudi monarch, Crown Prince Fahd, royal princes, cabinet figures as well as the Jordanian ambassador to Saudi Arabía, Mr. Tharwat Talhouni, and the Saudi ambassador to Jordan, Sheikh Ibrahim Al Sultan.

Talks between the two sides were to begin this evening. King Hussein arrived here from.

Iraq on the second leg of his tour of seven Arab states. The King and his party were

seen off at Baghdad airport by Iraqi President Saddam Hussein and senior Iraqi government officials, cabinet members and members of the ruling Revolutionary Command Council as well as the Jordanian ambassador to Iraq, Mr. Faleh Al Tawil.

Before leaving Baghdad, King Hussein and the Iraqi president visited the Madaen district and watched the sound and light show depicting the seventh-century battle of Qadisyah between the Arabs and Persians. Along their way the two leaders were cheered by crowds. Last night, King Hussein and President Saddam continued talks on the Arab situation while their aides held separate talks on ways of boosting Jordanian-Iraqi cooperation in various fields. The Irqqi president also gave a dinner in honour of the King and the Jordanian delegation.

Habib's mission

King Hussein was not the only visitor to the Saudi capital. U.S. presidential envoy Philip Habib held talks there today in an attempt to defuse the crisis over the installation by Syria of anti-

They were received on arrival aircraft missiles in eastern Lebanon's Bekaa Valley.

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Mr. Habib appeared to have members and senior government bought more time for the U.S. effort to head off an Israeli-Syrian war over the missiles when the Israeli cabinet agreed unanimously today to put no time limit on his

> Saudi Arabia today pledged "full support" to Damascus in the event of war with Israel, and a few hours later Syria was observed moving new stocks of its Sovietmade SAM-6 missiles into the Bekaa.

> Syrian peacekeeping forces and Lebanon's rightist militias, meanwhile, clashed in a second straight day of artillery and rocket duels in Beirut and the eastern Lebanese city of Zahle.

A Beirut police spokesman said a total of 19 civilians were killed and more than 100 wounded in the two cities in the last 24 hours. Fifty-seven houses and 108 cars were reported damaged by art-

Missiles on the move

An Associated Press reporter today saw flatbed transporters laden with canvas-covered sixmetre-long SAM-6 missiles move

Holiday on May 25

AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) - A communique issued today by acting Prime Minister Adnan Abu Odeh announced that next Monday, May 25, will be a public holiday on the occasion of Independence and Army Day. All government departments and public institutions will be closed on that

in from the Syrian border into the Bekaa on the main Beirut-Damascus highway and side

It appeared the Syrians were not increasing the number of missile sites or launchers but merely stockpiling SAM-6s to replace any missiles from the 12 visible halftrack launchers already deployed in the region.

Only six SAM-6s have been fired by the Syrians in the last three weeks, eyewitnesses said, bringing down two Israeli reconnaissance drones (according to Damuscus: Israel admits to losing only one drone). All six SAMs were quickly replaced on the ramps of the tracked launching vehicles.

A day after Mr. Habib arrived in Riyadh from Israel, the Saudis despatched a special emissary to Damascus with a letter from King Khaled to Syrian President Hafez Al Assad, the Saudi state radio reported.

The contents of the letter were not made public. But Arab dip-



tomorrow: 4:35 a.m.

Israelis in downtown Tel Aviv sign a petition circulated by the Peace Now group protesting against their government's preparations for war in Lebanon. (A.P. wirephoto)

lomatic sources said they believed in Lebanon. It called on all Lebthe Saudi government was counselling restraint and greater cooperation with Mr. Habib, who is expected to return to Damascus tomorrow to begin his third shuttle among Syria, Lebanon and Israel to defuse the missile crisis.

Saudis back Syria

The Saudi government has declared "unlimited support" for Syria against Israel's "endless expansionist ambitions in Leb-

The Saudi foreign ministry statement also pledged support for anese factions as well as the Syrian peacekeeping army to rally behind the central Lebanese government.

Saudi Arabia is a leading financial supporter of Syria's defence establishment. The statement indicated King Khaled's government would resume subsidies and would influence other Arab states to resume payment of the \$15 million monthly budget of Syria's 22,000-man peacekeeping force in Lebanon.

Syria wheeled its missiles into the Bekaa Valley on April 29, a day after Israeli jets shot down Syria's peacekeeping operations two Syrian helicopter gunships.

St. Peter's throng hears the Pope forgive attacker

VATICAN CITY, May 17 (A.P.) - They clasped their hands, knelt in prayer and heard Pope John Paul II pardon the man who tried to kill him. But some said they could never forgive.

A crowd estimated by police at 15,000 to 20,000 streamed today into the vast, cobblestoned St. Peter's Square on a brilliant Roman spring morning, looking up at the third floor window of the papal palace from which the pontiff imparts his blessing each Sunday at noon.

The window was empty. But as the chimes of the largest church in Christendom signalled midday. "Sia Lodato Gesu Cristo" (Praised Be Jesus Christ) boomed from loudspeakers set up in the

All broke into applause. Some middle-aged women wept. But others looked relieved when they heard the Pope's voice for the first time since a gunman shot him four days earlier during his general audience in the same square.

Pope John Paul had recorded the message one hour and 45 min-. utes earlier from his room in the intensive care section of Gemelli Policlinico Hospital for broadcast by the Vatican Radio.

In St. Peter's Square, the loudspeakers announced in Italian, English, Spanish, French and the Pope's native Polish that his words would be heard in the square.

His minute-long message followed by the "Regina Coeli (Queen of Heaven)" prayer was interrupted a half dozen times by

applause, the most sustained when he forgave his assailant. "I am particularly close to the

two persons wounded together with me. I pray for that brother of ours who shot me. and whom I have sincerely pardoned. "United with Christ, priest and victim, I offer my sufferings for the

church and for the world," he said in his accented Italian, his voice somewhat weak and slightly slurred. But he never stumbled. To some, there was no pardon

for the young Turk, Mr. Mehmet Ali Agca, who is alleged to have shot the Pope.

Mr. Sergio Franco of Bologna said he came to St. Peter's to be close to the Pope, "But he's a much bigger man than I am. I couldn't forgive."

Editor's note: The following is the text of a press release by the Turkish Embassy in Amman, concerning the Turkish national Mehmet Ali Agca, who is under Italian police custody on charges of trying to assassinate Pope John Paul II.

Mehmet Ali Agca who attempted to assassinate Pope John Paul Π has previously been prosecuted by the Turkish judicial authorities on charges of murder and terrorist activities since 1979. Agea shot dead Abdi Ipekci, a prominent Turkish journalist, on

Feb. 1, 1979 in Istanbul. He was arrested on June 25, 1979 by the security forces. During his first interrogation he claimed to be an international terrorist and added that he obtained a passport in order to attend to a terrorist training school in Europe.

Agca escaped from prison on Nov. 25, 1979. Thereafter he has been constantly chased by Turkish security forces. He is called to surrender by local Turkish broadcasting means. Meanwhile, he is sentenced to capital punishment by the competent Turkish criminal court after a trial in absentia. This decision is ratified by the military Supreme Court of Appeal.

Later, when information was received that Agea had gone abroad, most likely to Federal Republic of Germany, Turkish Interpol contacted the German interpol (Weishaden). All information concerning the presence of Agea and his accomplice Mehmet Sener in Europe was conveyed to the European authorities. An international arrest warrant issued in Turkey on the name of Agca was sent to the police authorities of the member countries of Interpol.

The Turkish Government since Sept. 12, 1980 has made great efforts to secure the extradition of terrorists who fled the country, especially to European countries. Turkey has always demanded that the activities of these terrorists be curbed in those countries.

The case of Agea who attempted to assassinate Pope John Paul II has shown the importance of Turkish government's efforts. Some circles had claimed that the Turkish Government was putting pressure on the Turks who fled the country. The unfortunate act perpetrated by Agca clearly demonstrated that claims against the sincere efforts of the Turkish government were completely devoid of any foundation.

—J.S., Iranians to meet today n mon resolving financial claims

HAGUE, May 17 (A.P.) — The first formal,)-face meeting between American and Irafficials since the U.S. hostages were freed is iled tomorrow when the two sides begin talks at setting up a tribunal to resolve more than financial claims for broken contracts and

take is some \$3 billion to \$4 billion in claims. Algerian-mediated settlement of the hosrisis stated that the tribunal was to make and binding" decisions on claims by indis and companies against the two govnts. No claims may be brought by the 52 hostages, freed Jan. 20 after 444 days in :ty in Iran, under the pact.

has already cancelled one meeting sch-I for May 5. But Algerian officials have told .S. State Department that three Iranian trimembers will be present tomorrow to discuss cation, format and timetable of the tribunal iree American colleagues--Mr. George Aldt former ambassador who represented the i States at the Law of the Sea Conference; lichard Mosk, a Los Angeles lawyer; and d Holtzman, a lawyer from New York. tribunal is said to be likely to include 30 itors-10 each from the United States and

Iran and 10 neutral members.

At tomorrow's meeting in the Peace Palace here, one of the first tasks facing the two sides is to pick the neutral members.

Under the hostages accord, attempts are to be made until July 19 to settle disputes out of court. Either side can unilaterally extend the time period for three months, until Oct. 19-and only at that point will the tribunal begin deciding cases.

Officials say they know of no settlements in the United States so far, partly because some American firms have challenged the constitutionality of former president Jimmy Carter's agreement in the hostages accord that claims must be shifted from U.S. courts to the tribunal.

The challenges are expected to be decided by the U.S. Supreme Court by July, clearing the way for negotiations and tribunal action.

U.S. Justice Department officials have said most of the claims are against Iran, and awards will be made initially from a \$1 billion fund now held in London that is made up of Iranian government assets frozen in the United States while the Americans were held hostage. The U.S.-Iran settlement calls for Iran to replenish the fund when it drops below \$500 million.



A woman in St. Peter's Square sobs Sunday as she hears the Pope's message. (AP wirephoto)

U.S.-led Sinai force proposed, paper says

ASHINGTON, May 17 (Agencies) - An terican civilian would be in general charge 2 peacekeeping force of about 2,500 men the Egyptian-Israeli border in a plan proed by the United States, the Boston Globe vspaper has reported.

soring unnamed but well-placed sources, the Globe reported in addition to a U.S. contingent of battalion size, the force could de troops from Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Argentina and

te cost of the Sinai force-about \$60 million a year-would be three ways by Israel, Egypt and the United States, the Globe The force would have machine guns and jeeps, but no tanks. ne U.S. battalion would be based at Sharm Al Sheikh, at the th of the Gulf of Aqaba, while much of the rest of the force would ate from Al Arish. The force would begin deployment by next ary and be ready to function by March. Under the Camp David e treaty with Egypt, Israel is to leave the Sinai by next April. raeli-built military facilities in the Sinai would be used by the i force or else destroyed, the Globe reported.

The Camp David agreement calls for the United Nations to despatch a border force to patrol the Sinai. But the U.N. has been hamstrung because the Soviet Union, which opposes Camp David, has threatened to veto any move by the Security Council to assemble an international patrol.

U.S. Deputy Assistant Secretary of State Michael Sterner, who is handling negotiations with Cairo and Tel Aviv on the Sinai force, flew to Israel today after two days of inconclusive talks in Egypt. After a meeting today with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat, Mr. Sterner told reporters that the main issues of dispute between Egypt and Israel-the size, tasks and command of the force-had not cha-

nged.
"The issues remain the same. They haven't gone away," he said.
Egypt wants a small force with limited tasks whereas Israel would prefer it to be larger and better-armed.

In Israel Mr. Sterner will prepare for a tripartite conference on the force, to be held near Cairo later this month. Egyptian and American officials agreed today that the growing tension between, Israel and Syria will not trip up the Sinai force plan.

"The peace process has to go on," said Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali during a break in talks with Mr. Sterner. The American official remarked, "I don't really believe so," when asked if threatened hostilities between Israel and Syria will derail Washington's progress on carrying out its Camp David peace plan. Mr. Sterner spoke shortly after meeting for 90 minutes with President Sadat at the Egyptian leader's rest house on the shores of the

Mr. Sterner launched the day with talks with Mr. Ali at Alexandria's Palestine Hotel. The moved down the coastline for the meeting with Mr. Sadat. There are fears among diplomats in Cairo that with Syria and Israel

squaring off over their claims on Lebanon, hostilities there will box Mr. Sadat in and sidetrack the Camp David process. Neither Mr. Sterner nor Mr. Ali would say what issues have been decided. Asked whether the stumbling blocks represented small

details or broader political positions between Israel and Egypt, Mr. Sterner replied. "I would say to a certain extent both."

Diplomatic sources in Cairo say the makeup of the force, specifically Israel's right to veto particular nations' participation, is another point of contention.

Egypt has diplomatic ties with far more nations than Israel. Both sides agree, though, that only nations that are friendly to the Camp David process should be solicited.

"Everything down to the number of bullets a soldier can carry, or if he can even be armed, has to be worked out before we invite nations in," said one diplomatic source who asked for anonymity.

Washington and Cairo are quick to stress that the presence of American soldiers in the force has nothing to do with U.S. plans to create a Rapid Deployment Force (RDF) to provide a quick-strike capacity in case of threats to the West's Middle East oil supplies.

NATIONAL DAY SUPPLEMENT

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In new labour law

Employee security to be improved without tying the hands of employers

By Jenab Tutunji Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN - The new draft labour law, which has been in preparation for five years, provides for equal pay to men and women doing



Dr. Jawad Anani.

for women, Minister of Labour Jawad Anani said in an interview with the Jordan Times.

The new women's benefits include 12 weeks of paid maternity leave and a full year off without pay, without the loss of rights and privileges, for mothers who want to take time off from work to nurse and care for their babies.

The existing labour law, issued in 1960, is riddled with amendments and is not without loopholes. But the new law has been drawn up to international standards, and includes many new progressive measures, such as steps to encourage the employment of the handicapped. In fact quotas, to be determined by the Ministry of Labour, are to be introduced for the employment of handicapped people. Dr. Anani

There will also be special provisions, including shorter hours, for difficult jobs and night shifts. Overtime is to be increased between 11/4 to 11/2 times. Endof-service compensation and compensation for work-related injuries are to be improved particularly for those not covered by social security, and will apply for the first time to agricultural wor-

equal jobs and introduces improvements in working conditions, related or mechanised agricultural work, whether they are employed by the government or the private sector, he added.

Employers will no longer be able to fire people working for them on the spot, unless they commit grave offences. Arbitrary severance will end, and an employer will have to go through a series of steps, including issuing warning notices and imposing gradually more serious penalties for offences committed before he can fire an employee.

If a settlement for a labour dispute is being discussed, an emp-loyer cannot fire anyone working for him unless he gets the per-mission of the arbitrator. There will also be an improvement in arbitration and dispute resolution procedures, better labour and employers unions and easier procedures for the registration of uni-

"We have checked and double checked to make sure that the provisions of the law are in compliance with international norms and agreements, while taking our own socio-economic conditions into account. I think the text is now a good one. It will improve the security of the employees wit-hout tying the hands of the employers," Dr. Anani added.

The basis for the new draft law was prepared by an expert of the International Labour Organisation (ILO) in 1975, and the text for the draft was worked out by a committee formed in 1979 including representatives of the Ministry of Labour, labour unions and the engineers' and bar association and employers unions, with the participation of two legal

AUB president, aide arrive **Thursday**

AMMAN, May 17 (J.T.) — The president of the American University of Beirut (AUB), Dr. H.E. Hoelscher, and the assistant to the president, Dr. Nazih Zeidan, will arrive in Amman on Thursday at the invitation of Mr. Ali Ghandour, member of the university's

Board of Trustees. The AUB Alumini Club in Amman will give a reception in their honour on Thursday evening. Several Jordanian personalities and AUB graduates have been invited to attend the reception and meet the president of their alma mater.

ECWA meeting urges support for Palestinians

AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) — A conference on International Migration in the Arab World, organised by the Economic Com-mission for Western Asia (ECWA), recently concluded in Cyprus, has recommended extending assistance to support the steadfastness of people in the occupied Arab territories.

The under-secretary of the Ministry of Labour Dr. Tayseer Abdul Jaber, who led Jordan's delegation to the meeting, said the

Dr. Tayseer Abdul Jaber

that Arab countries concerned

should coordinate work with the

Arab Labour Organisation and

the International Labour Org-anisation (ILO) to achieve this

among Arab states and its positive

and negative effects on the Arab countries as well as the difficulties

facing migratory Arab workers,

for example the transfer of cash to

the subject of Arab brain drain

and called for creating incentives

and providing financial and moral

inducements for workers to return

to their home countries and con-

tribute to their development. Dr.

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Abdul Jaber added.

Speakers at the conference called on Arab governments to organise the outflow of workers and not just to leave it to the demands of Arab labour markets to do that,

The Jordanian delegation to the conference comprised representatives of the National Planning Council, the University of

AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) — His Royal Highness Crown Prince Hassan, the Regent, today called for close cooperation among Arab and other Islamic countries to confront Zionist threats, especially the one facing Jerusalem, and the

Malhas back from WHO general assembly meeting

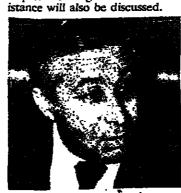
AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) — Health Minister Dr. Zuhair Malhas today returned to Amman from Geneva after representing Jordan at the 34th annual meeting of the general assembly of the World Health Organisation (WHO) which began early this month and will continue until the end of May.

Dr. Malhas said that several topics were discussed, including the question of transferring the WHO regional office from Alexandria to Amman. He said agreement was reached on a draft resolution expressing the wish of the majority of the East Mediterranean states to transfer the In a statement upon returning office from Alexandria. The final to Amman today, he added that decision on this question will be made during the next meeting of earch papers dealing with the the WHO general assembly, he movement of Arab workers said.

Dr. Malhas said that in the next

two weeks, a draft resolution will be debated condemning the Israeli occupation authorities for their arbitrary measures in the occupied Arab territories. The draft res-olution is expected to be passed unanimously, he added.

Dr. Malhas said that Lebanon's request for urgent medical assistance will also be discussed.



Dr. Zuhair Malhas

WHAT'S GOING ON

Exhibitions

In Aqaba, the British Council presents "Recent Prints from Britain". an exhibition of original prints by Hockney, Kitage, Fassolas and many others. This exhibition, held previously at the council in Amman, is on display in the foyer of Alcazar Hotel in Agaba.

The University of Jordan, in cooperation with the British Council presents an exhibition of academic books. The same exhibition was at Yarmouk University in Irbid last week.

A painting exhibition by Italian artist Romana Sibilia is on display, at the Holiday Inn ballroom.

Videotape Programme

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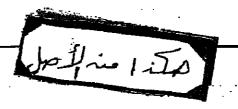
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Hassan urges closer stand against threat to Jerusaler



tlement policies.

His Royal Highness Crown Prince Hassan, the Regent, receives a delegation representing the adm-

inistrative and teaching staffs of Turkish

continuing Israeli occupation of history and archaeology. Prince Hassan then gave all Arab territory. in honour of the nine-mer Prince Hassan was speaking at a

meeting with a visiting delegation delegation. representing the administrative Earlier, the Turkish delega called at the University of Joi and teaching staffs at various Turand met with its president. Abdul Salam Al Majali, and o He discussed with the delegation the dangers that threaten officials. They were briefed on the religious and archaeological university's development' sites in Jerusalem as a result of

Israel's Judaisation and set-The delegation also discus? with Dr. Majali prospects for car The meeting also dealt with ways of boosting cooperation between Jordanian and Turkish peration between the Univer-of Jordan and Turkish universi institutions, particularly in sci- in the technical and cultural s entific research, higher education, eres.

NATIONAL NEWS BRIEFS

AMMAN, May 17 (J.T.) - A very old shell dating from the Ottoman Period was found by a citizen near the wall surrounding a primary school in Tafila. Police brought in an explosives expertwho defused it. The incident was among 13 others which occurred in Jordan in the past 24 hours, according to the Public Security Directorate. It said that a two-year old girl was admitted to the Baptist Hospital of Ajloun for treatment of food poisoning. She. was reported in serious condition. Also there were eight road::: accidents which resulted in the death of one person and the injury of 12 others, the directorate said.

AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) — The multary court has sentenced a Jordanian citizen, Mohammad Al Shishani, to 15 years in prison for embezzlement and the payment of JD 30,107, being the stolen money. Another citizen, George Mahfouz, has been sentenced by the same court to three years in prison and the payment of a JD 200 fine for offering a bribe to a public official. Meanwhile, two merchants were each fined JD 50 by the court and a third JD 100 for violating Ministry of Supply regulations. The military governor today endorsed the sentences.

AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) — A week-long training course for directors of new municipal councils in six Arabstates is due to open here tomorrow. Participants will be lectured on the functions of Amman Municipality, its various sections and their activities, in addition to its plans for developing the city. They will also be touring a number of projects implemented by the municipality.

The course, organised in cooperation between Amman Municipality and the Arab Cities Organisation, will be attended by delegates from Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates, Oman and Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Raja Elissa regret to announce the passing away of

Mrs. Eugenie Ajami Farajalla

on Sunday evening, May 17, 1981, in Amman

The funeral will take place at 3 p.m. Tuesday, May 19 rom the Anglican Saviour Church, Jabal Amman. Condolences will be received at the residence of Mr. Raja Elissa, Fourth Circle, Jabal Amman.

Friends and well-wishers are kindly requested not to send flowers, but to donate the cost to charity.

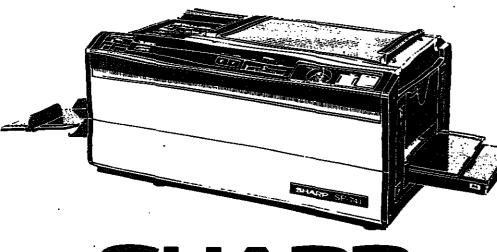


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Our nation's crafts

A Jordan Times

in-depth series

Jen Jewellers change with the times

R'S NOTE: This is the seventh in a series of articles about afts in Jordan.

> Text and photos By Mohammad Ayish Special to the Jordan Times

MAN — "Jewelry crafts, whether in or silver, have not reached the desired in Jordan, since craftsmen... are faced technical and financial problems," says Mustafa Salah, who calls himself a e" jeweller and runs a souvenir shop the Third Circle in Jabal Amman.

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espite those difficulties, iry business is doing well. g to Mr. Salah.

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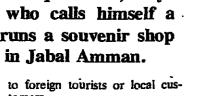
' he said. the past was better than ause all the machines we ir work are now imported eign countries, while the nanual machines were ade," said Mr. Abdul Nazzal, who works with ah both in the jewelry d in running the souvenir r. Nazzal, who has been S with jewelry since 1965, he and his partner, as well. people in the same bus-

Jordan, suffer from a shoi the tools necessary for vork. "Tools such as nose pliers, scissors and not available in the Jormarket, and buying them itside costs quite a lot of " he said. Industrial Development

nas established a special avaent to help craftsmen e their products and devir business. But "the Ind-Development Bank req-: to submit a statement on hines we want to buy from - countries before it can give money for that machine," ah said. "If we buy a macom Italy to make gold or rire, we have to report to k before we can be sure if going to receive the mac-

___ - not. process takes time and and may not even lead to a al, according to Mr. Salah. other alternative we used in our search for help was ordan Handicrafts Devint Centre Company, which more encouragement and ed our products," he said. the centre turned into a rcial company, its function come confined to buying fts only when they need

be said Nazzal, however, said that his partner sell their crafts other souvenir shops in the



Another factor affecting the jewelry business is the fluctuation gold prices. "One gramme of the yellow metal used to cost 36 piasters some years ago, but now its price has jumped to JD 5, and this can have a negative effect on the buying attitude of the customers," Mr. Salah said. Customers will be intimidated to see a JD 45 price tag on a gold ring that used to be worth JD 15 a decade ago, he remarked.

But the two partners said that they have found some leeway in marketing their crafts by using some silver material in their products instead of making them out of pure gold. This is feasible in the case of jewelry the craftsmen make for tourists, who are more curious about the novelty of the East than concerned about the

value of the material in a piece. Mr. Salah and Mr. Nazzai deal



Mustafa Salah at his workbench: The jewelry business calls for "ethical sincerity, diligence and a bit of intelligence."

either at home or at the souvenir

shops they run, "We buy the raw

material from the jewellers, who

import it from foreign countries,.

particularly Switzerland," Mr.

Nazzal said. "We then melt it in

special ovens and pour the mat-

in a variety of gold and silver crafts, and they are hoping to expand the business -- but, say they will continue to restrict it to tourist-oriented crafts rather than the "heavy golden stuff" used by traditional Arab women and brides. "We make silver and gold crosses, silver and motherof-pearl rings, earrings and bracelets, gold and silver letters, and we reuse some precious old gold pieces and coins," Mr. Salah said. The two artisans do their work

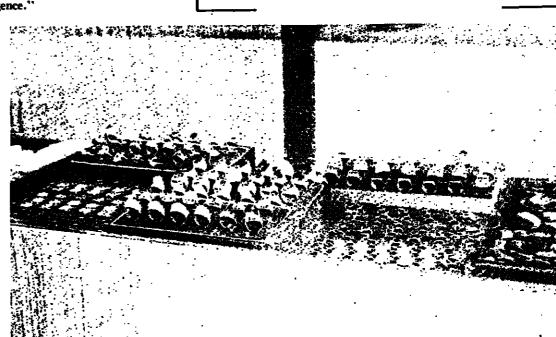
erial into various forms -- cylindrical, straight, round or zigzagging. Then we place the gold or silver pieces in a stretching machine, which gives us wire-like shapes of differing thicknesses."

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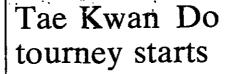
ctrical, in contrast to the older ones, which were manual. "Electrical machines give accurate, fast and reliable work, but also cause some trouble, when they are not well maintained," Mr. Nazzal

He said that part of the operation is done with the use of a machine owned by jewellers in downtown Amman, but he is thinking of buying his own, and installing it at the souvenir shop for convenience. This project will be implemented early in May, Mr. Salah hopes. But "we cannot afford to do it without the financial help of the Industrial Development Bank or some other party," he said.

"In our business, we consider the taste of the customers, and we are not closed to new models. We always catch up with the changes, whether in design or form, so as to keep the customer willing to buy," Mr. Nazzal said.



The jewelry shop run jointly by Mr. Nazzal and Mr. Salah carries a wide variety of handmade jewelry.

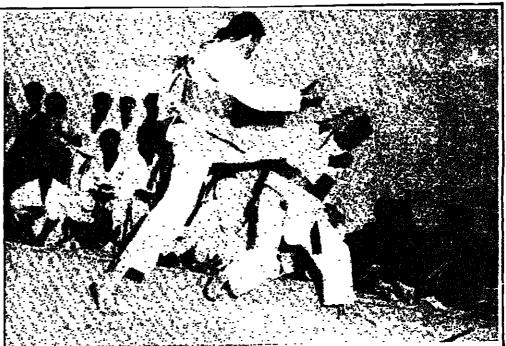


AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) - The Armed yesterday at the Tae ! wan Do centre in Jabal Amman under the supervision of the Military Sports Union. The results were as

1) Scaleweight: Nayif Salem beat Ali Majid by points.

2) Flyweight: Ghazi Ahmad beat Abdul Mun'im Zaber, and Rabhal Mfadi beat Ali Ibrahim Abdul Mahdi by points.

3) Bantamweight: Musa Bdewi beat Yahya Ahmad by points, and Abdul Ra'ouf Ali beat Ali Hassan Falah by points. Mohammad Salim beat Hamad Mahmoud by points. 4) Lightweight: Mohammad Mansour beat Issa Mohammad by points and Hassan Sa'id beat Mamni Mubarak by forfeit.



Pasture lands course ends

AMMAN, May 17 (Petra) — A two-week training course on the administration and development of pasture lands in the Arab World ended at the University of Jordan

During the course, which was organised by the Arab Org-anisation for Agricultural Development (AOAD), the participants heard lectures from specialists on pasture resources and the role of pastures in helping to ensure food security, as well as means of producing fodder and its protection, mechanisation in agricultural operations, the development of pasture lands and the preservation of soil in the Arab

The participants also made field trips to nurseries and agricultural stations operated by the Ministry of Agriculture.

The course, in which 16 agricultural engineers took part, was called for by the Arab agriculture ministers at their meeting in Damascus towards the end of last year.

At the conclusion of the final session, the under-secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture, Dr. Salem Al Lawzi, made a speech thanking the AOAD and distributed diplomas to the participants.

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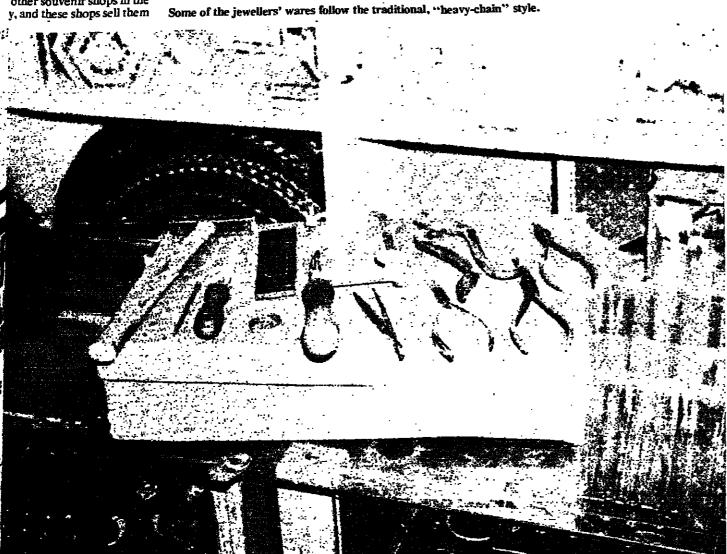
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AMMAN STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

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1			Number		_	Closing
١	Name of Company	Par Value	Traded	High	Low	Price
1	Islamic Bank 50%	JD 1.000	5,740	1.600	1.600	1.600
I	Jordan-Kuwait Bank	JD 1.000	775	2.240	2.240	2.240
ı	Jordan-Gulf Bank	JD 1.000	8,270	1.540	1.530	1.530
ı	Housing Bank	JD 1,000	3,800	2.180	2.170	2.180
ı	Real Estate Financial Corporation	JD 2.000	25	* 13.000	13.000	13.000
ı	Bank of Jordan	JD 5.000	200	16.250	16.250	16.250
ı	Arab Bank Co. Ltd.	JD 10.000	50	134.000	134.000	134.000
1	Arab Financial Corporation (Jordan) 80%	JD 10.000	175	13.700	12.700	13.700
١	Petra Bank	JD 10.000	190	22.000	22.000	22,000
í	Jordan Securities Co.	JD 10.000	36	17.600	17.60 0	17.600
i	Jordan Insurance Co.	JD 1.000	707	13.250	13.000	13.250
1	General Insurance Co.	JD 1.000	1,755	1.720	1.710	1.720
1	Arabian Seas Insurance Co.	JD 5.000	25	10.700	10.700	10.700
	Jordan Electricity Co.	JD 1.000.	3,775	2.030	2.020	2.030
	Arab International Hotels Co.	JD 1.000	19,520	1.080	1.070	1.080
1	Arabian Investment and International					
1	Trading Co.	JD 1.000	7,600	1.320	1.310	1.320
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1	Investments Co.	JD 1,000	1,500	Ú.860	0.860	0.860
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i	and Distribution	JD 1.000	10.200	0.940	0.930	0.940
	Irbid District Electricity Co.	JD 1.000	50	1.190	1.190	1.190
i	Garage Owners Federation Office Co.	JD 1.000	466	11.250	11.200	11.250
	Jordan Dairy Co.	JD 1.000	3,308	1,290	1.290	1.290
	General Mining Co.	JD 1.000	1,500	1.800	1.800	1,800
		JD 1.000	10.630	1.520	1.510	1.510
	Arah Aluminium Industries Co.	JD 1.000	1.444	3.880	3.850	3.850
	Industrial, Commercial and Agricultural Co.	JD 1.000	6,450	4,860	4.850	4.850
	Arab Chemical Detergents Industries Co.	JD 1.000	3,850	2.330	2.290	2.290
	National Steel Industries	JD 1.000	3,030	2.550	2.250	2.290
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	Jordan Worsted Mills Co.	JD 1.000	2,000	3.550	3.500	3.550
	Jordan Ceramics Industries Co.	JD 1.000	1,000	1.120	1.120	1.120
	Jordan Glass Factories Co.	JD 1.000	5,990	`0.880	0.870	0.880
	Jordan Paper and Cardboard Factories Co.	JD 1.000	1,040	1.650	1.650	1.650
	Jordan Phosphate Mines Co.	JD 1.000	3,293	3.720	3.700	3.700
	Jordan Brewery Co.	JD 1,000	500	2,700	2.700	2.700
	Jordan Lime and Silicate Brick					
	Industries Co.	JD 5,000	2,070	6.150	6.150	6.150
		JD 5.000	50	11.020	11.020	11.020
	Jordan Tobacco and Cigarettes Co.	JD 5,000	459	9.400	9.260	9.400
	Jordan Tanning Co.		100	5.100	5.100	5.100
	Woollen Industries Co.	JD 5.000	1.513	8.500	8.480	8.490
	Jordan Petroleum Refinery Co.	JD 5.000	1,313	19.350	19.350	19.350
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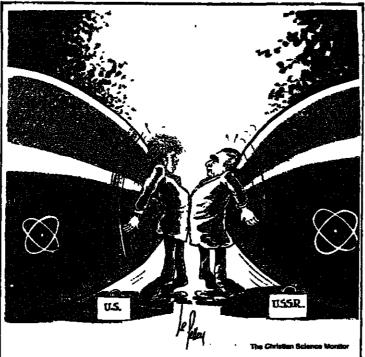
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By T.A. Jai

Developing planning infrastructur

THERE ARE different definitions of, and approaches to, development which one may encounter in the literature. However, it is agreed that development may be considered to mean, in simple words, economic growth accompanied by social change and institutional building. We can observe the institutional aspect of development if we compare two countries in different stages of development, or take the same country over a period of time.

Let us take Jordan as our example. Institutional building over the last thirty years has been more remarkable in certain areas than it

has been in others. The govluding the establishment of many agencies and the introduction of varied laws and regulations.

The banking sector has gone through significant development in institutional building. The Central Bank was established in 1964 and, over the years, it has promoted new institutions such as the banks, new financial corporations. specialised credit institutions, the Institute of Banking Studies, the Banking Association... etc. It also

has developed new policy tools emment machinery has witnessed dealing with government borconsiderable developments, inc- rowing and foreign exchange regulations.

These are major examples of institutional building in Jordan. However, in some other sectors, such as commerce, the case may be described as one of expansion in magnitude with little institutional change or innovation. The distribution channels have somewhat improved and there is stock exchange, investment more product advertising. But many potentially useful institutions are still lacking, such as consumer protection associations, department stores, integrated shopping centres, and others.

In this context, one cannot but note the slow change in the infrastructure of development planning. This has been the case despite the existence of institutions complementary to the planning machinery. Compared with other developing countries, the following institutions or areas should have been promoted and developed as a basic infrastructure to the planning machinery in Jordan.

First, research and development institutions. Development planning depends to a great extent on the availability of feasible projects that are well studied and ready for implementation. Moreover, natural resources should be surveyed and then their economic feasibility should be assessed, having in mind the best possible technological process. Indeed, the preparation of development planning is in itself a research and policymaking experiment. However, very little has been done to integrate proper Jordanian research and development institutions into the planning process. Our two universities and the Royal Scientific Society are developing their capabilities almost independently of the funds spent on feasibility studies and consultation. I believe that a deliberate effort by the planning machinery should be exerted towards encouraging a lising the capabilities of the titutions.

Second, the Department tistics is another significa ment in the infrastructure planning machinery. elopment planning is a con process which requires up-1 information and data, Ac resources should be allocal the undertaking of sector veys. Statistical programm uld be carried out to comp necessary data on the plif and monitoring of plan lementation. Again, there i to be desired in this area.

Third, regional develo planning has been giver iceable attention in the la years. In many other deve countries, this approach is t institutionalised within th. nning machinery or, at least-1local arm. The relevance (... ional planning efforts is judged and justified by thei act on national developmen in terms of their pragmatis. closeness to people's needs various governorates, citie

Fourth, the follow-up c development plan lementation has continued to weak and unsuccessful link : ... planning process. Despite a orts to establish operation in and reporting procedures follow-up has not been J. titutionalised.

These are the main illustra of areas where the planning hinery in Jordan should diduc attention to their elopment and integration in planning process. Strong lin should be built up among this ily of institutions. The promof the planning infrastru would improve the efficien planning, induce our humarources and localise sizeable -which are presently spent or :eign consultation and feasi-

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THE CONTINUING mission of American special envoy Philip Habib to defuse the confrontation brewing in the Bekaa Vallev in Lebanon between Syria and Israel remains as it started -- handicapped by the conspicuously flawed credentials of the mediating party, the United States. It is noteworthy to recall that only last month the United States House of Representatives' Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, under the chairmanship of Clarence Long, defeated a request by the Reagan administration to cut in half the \$25 million appropriated last year to finance the resettlement in Israel of Jewish emigrants from the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. At a time when the number of these emigrants settling in Israel has dwindled to only several thousand a year, the American Congress maintains the tax dollars of Americans going for this purpose at a strangely high level. An analysis of the number of emigrants entering Israel from Eastern Europe shows that the United States is providing several thousand dollars per person. Our reaction is: Whom does Mr. Habib represent, given the policies of his government? Does he work for the best interests of all parties in the Middle East? Or is he an unwitting representative and symbol of the same old unexamined American policy whose fundamental concern in the Middle East is the perpetuation of Israeli military dominance above all other concerns? Perhaps Mr. Habib should make a stop during his shuttling in the Con-

ARAB PRESS COMMENTARY

AL RA'I: The new Gulf tour which His Majesty King Hussein began yesterday with a visit to fraternal Iraq is a continuation of the Jordanian initiative in the Arab area to strengthen coordination, solidarity and joint action on the Arab level.

Naturally the talks between His Majesty and the leaders of the Arab Gulf states will deal with developments in the Arab World, the new situations that have cropped up and bilateral cooperation between Jordan

Needless to say, the honourable struggle which fraternal Iraq is waging to regain its rights; the mediation taking place between Baghdad and Tehran by the Non-aligned and Islamic groups; the situation in Lebanon, including the Bekaa missile crisis: the situation in the occupied areas and Israel's insistence on extending its hegemony to all Palestinian lands from the River Jordan to the Mediterranean; in addition to reviewing the Arab situation since the Amman summit, particularly as regards the building of Arab self-strength and the implementation of a joint Arab economic strategy, will be the prominent topics of discussion, because they are closely linked with the future of the crucial Arab cause and need followup and coordination of Arab action.

On the other hand, there have been important developments in the international arena since the new U.S. administration assumed office. These successive developments and their impact are affecting our area. Foremost of these developments are the U.S. view on the question of security and stability in the Gulf: Washington's plans vis-a-vis the Rapid Deployment Force and the Soviet stand towards it: the change in the French leadership; the future of French policy vis-a-vis European Middle East peace initiatives, the Arab cause, and the future relations between France and the Arab World. Furthermore there are new significant intemational developments particularly the noticeable deterioration in Israeli-European relations as a result of Menachem Begin's pronouncements against the EEC states accusing them of following a policy of self-interest with the Arab Gulf states.

Naturally, all these developments need study and coordination among the Arabs, because they concern the Arabs and affect them and affect

In light of these successive Arab and international developments, the significance of a Jordanian initiative by His Majesty King Hussein becomes apparent. The tour which His Majesty is making is a new phase in

Jordan's continuing moves.

Jordan has undertaken to be a pioneer in building a unified Arab stand, consolidating joint Arab action and crystallising the crystal-clear and accurate Arab view of developments. Jordan has expressed this through its honest pan-Arab actions. The tour which His Majesty is making now is a prominent example of this honourable action.

AL DUSTOUR: Motivated by his eagerness for the adoption of a unified and effective Arab stand towards the issues and challenges facing the Arab Nation, King Hussein is making a tour of seven Arab states to deal with matters before it becomes too late.

The difficulties which are facing the Arab Nation and the Arab cause are becoming so serious that any postponement or failure to act cannot be afforded. They are a warning to us of the gravest consequences in the absence of an Arab position which can prove itself.

Tension in Lebanon in the absence of a unified Arab stand has created a suitable climate for the internationalisation of the crisis. King Hussein has warned against this development. Thus the situation which has prompted the superpowers to interfere in our affairs dictates unto us the need to adopt a firm Arab stand to repulse the Zionist onslaught which seeks to

devour Lebanon and to strike at the Palestinian resistance. Despite the fact that the Arab states recognise the seriousness of the situation in Lebanon, and despite the escalation of tension because of the fabricated crisis over the Syrian missiles in Bekaa, and despite the fact that war might break out in the area with the participation of the two superpowers. Arab absence from the Lebanese arena has left the door open for internationalisation, first in Lebanon and then in the rest of the Arab

Thus King Hussein's sincere call to prevent internationalisation and to intensify Arab efforts in this connection should be heeded because the danger is imminent and the dispute is escalating in a manner which is no longer easy to control. Arab presence in Lebanon and in the international arena has become an urgent and required matter, more than ever before. Perhaps the Arabs will unify their ranks before the catastrophe befalls

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Omani riyal	955/962.5
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FORECAST FOR MONDAY, MAY 18, 1981

YOUR DAILY from the Carroll Righter Institute

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Today's new aspects will bring all sorts of opportunities for you to show loved one the extent of your devotion. You can now work steadily toward gaining your objectives.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Organizing both your assets and liabilities will give you a better understanding of your financial situation. TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Study contracts made

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MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Fine day for making progress but make sure you don't step on the toes 4 \$ of others in doing so. Be alert. LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You can easily make this a 1014

most productive day. Plan the changes you want to make at home. Listen to what others say. VIRGO (Aug. 22 to sept. 22, comes and solve a vital matter, but be tactful. Obtain the infortage VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Confer with an associate

mation needed for a new project. LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Study your true financial situation and plan how to improve it. Don't spend money

lavishly or your could regret it later. SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Know what it is you

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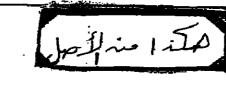
good friends and gain their support. Make plans to have more abundance in the days ahead. AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Put your Aquarian

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ael destroys five houses of detained Gazans

ty forces destroyed five Jay after recently arrnumber of Palestinians esponsible for 14 deawoundings in the occa Strip, a military spo-

f those killed had appliaborated with the Isr-

rested Palestinians alllonged to three cells in the Gaza Strip village a under the direction of stine Liberation Orgs (PLO) military arm spokesman said.

The spokesman did not say how Mr. Rafik Silmi as the ringleader many were arrested.

The houses, inhabited by five of the detainees, were allegedly used as stores for a large quantity of arms and ammunition, and the army destroyed the buildings in accordance with a policy of destroying homes belonging to peo-ple suspected of resistance act-

Over the past 12 months the cells allegedly killed 13 Arab residents of the Gaza Strip and a Jewish taxi driver, who was shot dead in a Jabaliya filling station in Jan-

The military spokesman named

Anti-Arab product to be withdrawn from U.S. market

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is a statement made in Washington recently by the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee.

The American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee (ADC) has been informed that the anti-Arab advertising campaign of a Massachusets-based company has been ended, and the product will no longer be offered for sale. The advertisement (shown here) promoted a charcoal briquet named SHEEKS distributed by the Preston company of Lowell, Massachusets. Preston's advertising brochure depicted an Arab in flames, under the slogan "S-AVE OIL ... BURN SHEEKS."

ston on Feb. 4, 1981, stating, This advertising suggests and even promotes a pogrom of anti-Arab violence. As such, it is quite clearly an act of incitement against people of Arab

ADC formally protested to Pre-

We strongly object to this form of racially inspired advertising. It is a dangerous practice. We insist that you desist from further issuance of such provocative material and rename the product in question."

The Washington law firm of Metzger, Shadyac and Schwarz, representing ADC, notified Preston of intent to press legal action. ADC members from across the U.S. responded in protests to Preston, joining other protesters from the Belmont, Massachusets-based Association of Arab-American University Gra-

On Feb. 11, 1981, Preston's attorney responded to ADC in a highly insulting letter in which he made crude reference to sexual practices of Arabs. This was followed on Feb. 20: by a Preston announcement that SHEEKS would soon be withdrawn from the market. ADC's National Office has not she- A BIOMASS FUEL

lved plans for legal action, nor does it ston's attorney. Commenting on Preston's dec-

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MIDDLE EAST BRIEFS

Bomb blasts Istanbul's El Al office BEIRUT, May 17 (え) — A Palestinian organisation today claimed responsibility for a bomb attack on the Istanbul offices of the Israeli airline El Al last night. The little known "May 15 Arab Organisation for the Liberation of Palestine," which yesterday claimed responsibility for a similar attack on El Al's Rome offices on Friday night, said in a statement here that its guerrillas bombed the Istanbul offices late last night. A spokesman for the Turkish city's martial law command said today that the explosion caused damage but no injuries. The organisation said it would continue to pursue Israeli organisations wherever they were.

Chatti leaves Bahrain for Guinea

BAHRAIN, May 17 (R) - Mr. Habib Chatti, secretary-general of the 40-nation Islamic Conference Organisation (ICO), left for Guinea today to report to President Ahmad Sekou Toure on the ICO's latest round of talks with Iran and Iraq on halting the Gulf war, the official Saudi press agency reported. Mr. Toure is the head of a high-level mission which was set up during an Islamic summit conference in Saudi Arabia last January to mediate between Iraq and Iran. Bangladesh President Ziaur Rahman and Mr. Chatti, who are members of the eight-member mission, visited Tehran and Baghdad last week to discuss ways of ending the war which broke out last

Trudeau in Algiers for talks

ALGIERS, May 17 (R) - Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudcau who arrived in Algiers yesterday on a 48-hour official visit, had talks last night with Algerian President Chadli Benjedid, Canadian sources said. Mr. Trudeau is also due to meet Algerian Foreign Minister Mohammad Benyahia and the ministers of trade, energy, finance and planning to discuss bilateral relations. Algerian-Canadian trade increased from \$3 million in 1969 to 400 million last year, according to Canadian sources. The resumption later this year of the north-south dialogue between developed and developing countries, is also or Trudeau's agenda in Algiers, the sources said. Canada will host a meeting of seven industrialised countries next July and take part in a summit of developing and developed nations in Mexico in October.

Iran's envoy leaves for Damascus

TEHRAN, May 17 (R) — Iran's Deputy Prime Minister for Political Affairs Mohammad Hashemi, left today for Damascus to express his government's support for Syria in the crisis with Israel over the stationing of ground-to-air missiles in Lebanon, the official news agency Pars said. Mr. Hashemi, who effectively runs Iranian foreign affairs in the absence of a foreign minister, would also convey a message from Prime Minister Mohammad Ali Raja'i to Syrian President Hafez Al Assad, Pars said.

Eritrean ELF down MiG 21

KHARTOUM, May 17 (R) — Eritrean guerrillas said today they shot down an Ethiopian fighter aircraft 57 km (31 miles) south of the provincial capital of Asmara on Friday. A spokesman for the Eritrean Peoples Liberation Front (ELF) in Khartoum said their air defence system had brought down a Soviet-built MiG 21 fighter. He added that the pilot landed with a parachute and was taken prisoner by ELF guerrillas fighting for the secession of Eritrea from Ethiopia.

Justice minister, deputy premier resign in Egypt

CAIRO, May 17 (R) - Egyptian Justice Minister Anwar Abu Sehli resigned yesterday according to an official broadcast on Cairo television. The television, which said Mr. Ahmad Samir Sami, a member of the judiciary, had been appointed to replace Mr. Sehli, gave no reason for the resignation. On Wednesday, Deputy Prime Minister Osman Ahmad Osman also resigned after a committee inquiry told parliament it had found no evidence to back allegations in his bestthe past.

envoy pessimistic

L May 17 (A.P.) - Dutch Foreign Minstoph van der Klaauw said here yeswas pessimistic that Europe could break ock in the Arab-Israeli peace talks. But the European Economic Community tinue its early stage of a peace initiative. a der Klaauw left Saudi Arabia today 3-day visit to find out how the European : Community can contribute to a Middle ce settlement, the official Saudi press

:ported. t with Saudi Foreign Minister Saud Al urday morning before the Saudi minister. Riyadh to meet with U.S. presidential the Middle East, Mr. Philip Habib. itch minister said the Arab countries and

"I am afraid very difficult times are ahead," he said at a brief news conference. "We (the EEC) must continue with our efforts, but I am pessimistic that we can break the current deadlock," he said.

of the cells. Mr. Silmi was killed

last December in a shootout with

security forces who came to arrest

him. However, the cells continued

to operate "after his liquidation,"

Authorities originally thought that some of the 13 Gazans might

have been killed by right-wing rel-

drugs and alcohol which is out-

lawed by the Muslim code.

igious fanatics for trafficking in

However, when many of those

killed later were known to have

collaborated with the Israeli mil-

itary government, suspicion shi-

fted to Palestinian commandos.

the spokesman said.

Mr. van der Klaauw, who is also the current chairman of the European Council of Ministers, described the Israeli position as uncompromising, adding that he saw little potential for a softening of positions. He said he did not expect any change in the Israeli position, even if the Labour Party wins the June 30 elections.

Prince Saud, on the other hand, stressed the difficulties that life ahead in the European peace initiative, but expressed optimism about the EEC's recognition of the Palestinian right for self

J.S. planning Qadhafi verthrow-- Daily News

RK, May 17 (A.P.) — The Reagan adm-1 is drafting secret plans to have Arab endly to the United States overthrow rongman Muammar Qadhafi, the Daily ported today.

ry from Washington, the News quoted a ntial source" as saying top U.S. officials ribing Mr. Qadhafi as "a cancer that has out." but that his removal would have to ved by means other than assassination. lews quoted one official as saying this would encourage conservative Arab stably Egypt, to take action of their own. direct invasion of Libya or a coup d'etat. arab attempt seemed as if it would fail,

ent official reportedly said. Department Spokeswoman Sandra McClast night she had no knowledge of any et strategy and therefore would have no

U.S. would provide whatever assistance

jed to make sure the effort succeeds, a

ent Anwar Sadat of Egypt has been thei

most outspoken critic of Qadhafi, but in recent months leaders in Saudi Arabia, the Sudan, and Chad, some of whose land Soviet-armed Libyan soldiers recently occupied, have joined the chorus of opposition to Qadhafi.

The United States has justified its multibillion-dollar arms sales programme to Egypt on the ground that Mr. Qadhafi is a threat to Mr. Sadat.

Last week, the last 27 Libyan diplomats remaining in this country were ordered to get out. Meanwhile, government officials advised some top American firms to pull their 2,000 American employees out of Libya as soon as possible.

Secretary of State Alexander Haig "regards Qadhafi, like Castro, as essentially inimical to our interests," the News quoted a senior official as

The United States buys about 10 per cent of its oil from Libya. In recent interviews Mr. Qadhafi has said nothing about an oil embargo and insists he wants to be friends with this country.

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Balance in the Arab 'Wild West'

By Patrick Cockburn

NORTH YEMEN is very much the Wild West of the Arab World. Exquisitely beautiful villages perched on hilltops and crags beside carefully tended terraces are subject to only limited control by the central government.

Most Yemeni men carry large daggers, whose purpose is mainly ceremonial, and usually own rifles and submachine guns for more utilitarian reasons. Tribal battles involve tanks and artillery as well as small arms.

A Yemeni official bridled at the suggestion that parts of his country might not be completely safe for foreign visitors. He pointed out that "thieving and killing" also

occur on the London Und-erground. The difference is that seldom, if ever, do passengers there find their train impeded by a road block manned by 300 heavily armed tribesmen.

But North Yemen's potential strength gives it a crucial significance in the region, for all its lack of central control, its tribalism, and the absence of oil. With an industrious population of some 7 million, it has the same number of citizens as the combined total for Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates and the other oil states of the Arabian Peninsula.

Little wonder then that some Arab countries and the United States have a recurrent nightmare

in which they see the mountainous republic falling under Soviet influence. They were given a jolt by the initially successful invasion by guerrilla opponents of the Sanaa government in Feb. 1979. They fear intermittent, if rhetorical, talk about unity with Marxist South

There is no question that the North Yemeni central government is weak. Many, if not most, Yemenis give their final loyalty to their tribe or their sheikh. Although the army has been tripled in size to some 35,000 men since 1979, and conscription has been introduced, the conscripts' true allegiance is a matter of

Most North Yemenis are still jects is not lack of money -- some

farmers growing white sorghum or qut, a plant whose mildly narcotic leaves are chewed by Yemenis. Agriculture cannot develop fast: enough to meet the soaring demand for food in the years since earnings from Yemenis working in Saudi Arabia and foreign aid started flooding in. Thus imports — including 60,000 tons of frozen chicken in 1980 — have increased

In the past year, however, business has been depressed by a drop in remittances to an official \$1.3. billion as the demand for Yemeni workers in Saudi Arabia diminishes and conscription dissuades workers from visiting their homes. The main impediment to new pronly tied to projects is unused - but poor administration and lack of infrastructure.

. Some 75 per cent of government income generated within the country comes from customs duties. These are high, amounting to 81 per cent on a passenger car. But smuggling is likely to diminish revenue from this source. For instance, last year some 200 Toyota Land Cruisers entered the country officially, but another 800 are believed to have been imported without passing through customs.

In almost every aspect of political and economic life, central control is weak. Two presidents have been assassinated in the past four years and Mr. Abdullah Al Asnag, a former political adviser to President Ali Abdullah Saleh, was detained recently for allegedly advising Saudi Arabia of the president's visit next month to

Moscow. In addition, the killing of Mr. Mohammad Khalis, the local government minister and formerly head of security, in January has caused some doubts about the stability of the regime. In the south, on the border with the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen and in the coastal plain, the guerrillas of the National Democratic Front have made gains. Some 50 kilometres north of the capital, the Sanaa government's authority ends and control by the northern tribal confederation begins.

But the weakness of the central government, and its limited authority, has a good side: instability at the top has no drastic effects onthe rest of the country.
The regime's delicate man-

oevring between the U.S. camp and the forces of the Soviet Union and South Yemen brings it certain advantages. President Saleh's other attempt to achieve balance is among the disparate, often ferocious factions of North Yemen. itself. Failure to keep relative harmony among the factions and tribes could touch off a challenge the government does not have the strength to meet.

From the Financial Times



Most Yemeni men carry large daggers, whose purpose is mainly ceremonial, and usually own rifles and submachine guns for more

At the end of his visit to Saudi Arabia

Regan sees no indication of oil cutback

RIYADH, May 17 (R) — U.S. Treasury Secretary Donald Regan said today there was no indication that Saudi Arabia planned any cutback in oil production.

Mr. Regan, who has cut short his Middle East trip because of developments at home over the administration's tax proposals, said also that the Saudis seemed satisfied with holding their oil price at the present \$32 a barrel.

Mr. Regan made the statements in an interview with Reuters after a meeting, with Saudi Oil Minister Sheikh Ahmad Zaki Yamani.

Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) oil ministers are due to meet next week in Geneva to consider oil

Mr. Regan said he "had the feeling that the Saudis were comfortable with the present price." The treasury secretary added

Saudis were considering any drop in production or exports of oil.

Saudi Arabia, the world's largest exporter, has been holding production at 10.3 million barrels a day in an effort to stabilise world oil prices and help OPEC agree on a unified pricing structure. The country's preferred output is 8.5

million barrels a day.

Mr. Regan said that in his discussions with Sheikh Yamani they noted the oil price in the spot market at Rotterdam had actually fallen below the Saudi selling price. Mr. Regan added, however.

that he thought this might be tem-porary but he hoped the price would stay in "low ground". Sheikh Yamani said the current

high interest rates in the United States were helping keep oil prices down at the petrol pump. He said, according to Mr. Regan, that the

there was "no indication" the high interest rates made it very expensive to store oil and consequently reserves were being drawn down, which was causing a glut and reducing prices.

In recent weeks in the United States there have been reports of price wars developing as oil company outlets tried to keep their sales up.
Mr. Regan has decided to ret-

urn home after two days in Saudi Arabia because the administration's tax cut seems to be entering a critical period on cap-The treasury secretary said that

President Reagan wanted him to be on hand during discussions this week between the president and West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt in Washington.

Mr. Regan was to have visited Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates (UAE) tomorrow. He had then planned to head the U.S. delegation at the International Monetary Fund's (IMF) interim committee meeting in Gabon.

In talks with Saudi officials, Mr. Regan has defended the administration's new economic plan which includes a controversial proposal to cut tax rates for individuals by 10 per cent each year for three years.

In the interview today, Mr. Regan said he might accept a bill that accomplished the same objective at an equal or less cost.

Critics of the plan have charged that it would lead to even higher budget deficits and inflation in the

Mr. Regan has said that such fears were unfounded and that the president's economic programme would eventually reduce inflation and lead to economic recovery.

Japanese car imports

Italy, Britain and France already apply curbs on the import of Japanese cars. Belgium has warned it may also do so if no voluntary Japanese curbs can be negotiated.

Japanese car firms refused to accede to a request from their European counterparts for export restraint. The Japanese refusal prompted European manufacturers to call for government action.

Common Market governments want to see an end to military rule in Turkey as soon as possible.

ECONOMIC NEWS BRIEFS

Polish economy runs down steeply

WARSAW, May 17 (R) — Poland's ailing economy is running down steeply and national income, roughly equivalent to gross national product, is likely to decline by 14 per cent in 1981, the Communist Party's official newspaper reported yesterday.

Trybuna Ludu said party Politburo member Tadeusz Grabski had given the figure at a factory meeting at Konin in western

It quoted Mr. Grabski as saying that planned production this year would have to be cut by about 300 billion zlotys (about \$10 billion), and investments would be reduced by about 50 billion zlotys (about \$1.66 billion).

"We are still in the trough of the crisis, and we have not yet reached the bottom," Mr. Grabski said.

Iraq donates \$1.28m to Malaysia

KUALA LUMPUR, May 17 (A.P.) — Iraq will donate three million ringgits (\$1.28 million) for the establishment of an Arabic centre in the Islamic Institute of Higher Learning, Iraqi Religious Affairs Minister Sheikh Feisol Nori Shahir said today.

Sheikh Shahir, who arrived yesterday, told reporters he will present the donation to Prime Minister Hussein Onn when they meet on Tuesday.

The centre is to be constructed in Kota Bahru, 200 miles northeast of here.

Zimbabwe peasants to learn communal farming in China

SALISBURY, May 17 (A.P.) - Zimbabwe's black socialist government is to send peasants to China to gain experience of collective farming, the Sunday Mail reported.

The pro-government newspaper quoted Prime Minister Robert Mugabe, who is currently visiting China, as saying the training scheme would be a prelude to the introduction in Zimbabwe of

cooperative farms run by peasants.

Mr. Mugabe, quoted after touring the Wangzhuang People inc Commune outside Wuxi city yesterday, said his government see to implement collective farms despite opposition from Zi babwean peasants "caused by the propaganda of the former or onial government which regarded communism as anathema,

Kuwait lends Ghana \$14.3m

KUWAIT, May 17 (R) - Ghana will receive a loan of fo million Kuwaiti dinars (about \$14.3 million) to complete a hy roelectric project, under an agreement signed here today.

The Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development made the loan, repayable from next year at 3.5 per cent interest over i

In 1977 the fund extended Ghana a nine million dinars (abo \$32 million) credit for the same project.

Mozambique resumes search for oil

MAPUTO, May 17 (R) - Prospecting for oil is about to beg again in Mozambique after a lapse of more than six years, ac ording to the official news agency AIM.

The agency reported that exploration would begin later th year and that discussions had already been held with sever

Western oil companies. The prospecting will take place both on land and offshore in a area already partially explored in the late sixties and early sev

In those explorations, companies found no oil in commercial

quantities but struck natural gas at Pande about 530 km northead of here. The Pande gas fields were said to be huge, with som estimates of reserves of 600 thousand billion cubic feet.

The presence of natural gas is often a sign that oil is also aroun and multinational oil companies took a keen interest in the are: drilling 60 test boles. But in 1971 the French company Aquitaine of the Area which had begun drilling four year earlier, spoke of discouragin is [31]

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EEC studies curbs on foreign ministers on Tuesday.

BRUSSELS, May 17 (R) — Common Market foreign ministers will this week discuss moves to curb Japanese car exports to Europe, following the breakdown at the weekend of talks between EEC and Japanese car manufacturers, EEC sources said today.

Trade relations with Japan are on the agenda of a meeting of the

which will also discuss EEC relations with the United States,

Turkey and Yugoslavia. The EEC commission has said it will seek an accord with Japan on limiting car exports. Community sources have suggested the EEC request could be aimed at freezing car sales to the EEC at last year's

At a weekend meeting in Paris,

The EEC ministers are also

expected to give the green light for negotiations with Turkey at ambassadorial level, probably on June 5, on Turkey's association agreement with the EEC.

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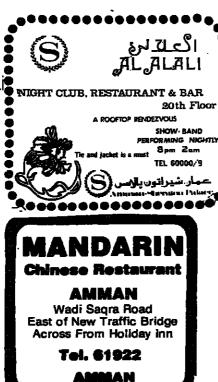
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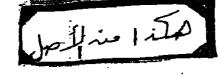
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Toe transplants make a new hand

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also keep his shoes on doing it -- because the om each foot, are now of his right arm. raordinary transplants dout at Shanghai No. 6 fter Mr. Gao Tianshe

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😌 young native of Shance, northwest China, ; hands when a blasting ted at a reservoir conte, he had become incrustrated. The artificial ore for a time had pro-

and he had to depend on others for muscles will attach as they do to simple, everyday manual tasks. Mr. Gao said he had heard of

earlier operations in which doctors had transplanted toes to compensate for lost thumbs or fingers. Couldn't they do something for him, he asked.

Dr. Yu Zhongjia was more than sympathetic. But grafting on a thumb was one thing -- rec-onstructing a whole hand was quite another problem. Still, he decided, he would do what he

Step one, after examining the condition of the forearm, was to provide an artificial skeleton for the new hand.

Working with a medical instruments factory, he fashioned a Y-shaped frame for the palm from a titanium alloy, an inert metal

natural bone.

In a 12-hour operation, Dr. Yu and colleagues at the No. 6 Hospital inserted the stem of the frame into the radius of Gao's right arm and the forked sections into the bones of the second toes removed from Gao's feet in the same operation. One toe would serve as a thumb and the other as an index finger.

The muscles and soft tissues of the forearm were then drawn down to cover the titanium "bone" and the blood vessels, nerves and muscles and sinews of the toes were linked to them.

siotherapy, Mr. Gao Tianshe began to get feeling at the ends of his new fingers and within six months they were working well. The reconstructed hand can

After three months of phy-

perform about 70 per cent of the functions of a normal hand. He can pick up a thin sheet of paper from a flat surface and lift about seven kilogrammes. He can differentiate between hot and cold and hard and soft objects.

Dr. Yu and his colleagues have since reconstructed such hands for several other patients.

Dr. Yu and the members of his surgical team point out that they owe much of their success to the pioneering microsurgery of Dr. Yang Dongyue, of Shanghai. It was he who performed China's first toe transplant on a young machinist who had lost his thumb.

Since then. Shanghai No. 6 Hospital has carried out several hundred toe-thumb transplants with a success rate of around 90

Down on the collective farm in East Germany

mers on East Germany's Golzow collective. e Polish border, claim to have learnt a lot ieir Soviet counterparts, but they are given incentives not to worry about the kinds of ey get from their own private plots.

Leslie Colitt

Solzow collective farm in 10 kilometres to the vate Polish farm on the of the Oder River. But of agricultural devthe distance is eno-

nur Kliezke, chairman)-hectare Golzow agro-operative -- as col-MAND his are known here -owards the Polish bor-

Chinese Realish government made se when it left the farms wned," he says. "They by hand on those : cf-sized plots and if the it get enough to eat a ill break out. hy do they think they

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members of the Goltive are busy tending for market in East Berometres to the west. cialises in early crops Frates with two other arms in the area which imal fodder and liv-

> man agriculture, which in the hands of private il forced into colin 1960, is a success with Poland's or the

East German farm cooperatives produce Comecon's best yields of wheat, barley and oats, provide East Germans with the highest per capita meat consumption of any Communistruled country and have surplus enough to export meat to the

The nearby stock-breeding farm, with a herd of 1,500 cattle, delivers meat to the state at the official purchase price EM 4.40 (just under £1) for a kilo of beef and EM 4. 90 for pork.

The East German consumer pays EM 5.80 for a kilo of soup meat, and EM 8 a kilo for pork chops. These retail prices are thus heavily subsidised by the government, which also keeps down prices for fodder, energy and other goods and services used by the farm.

Mr. Kliezke, the farm's chaan average yearly profit of EM 2 million on sales of about EM 28 million. Some EM 4 million is invested each year with the help of state loans.

Although East Germany is the most highly industrialised of Communist countries, its agriculture provides 70 per cent of the country's food.

The remainder is some 3 million tonnes of fodder a year imported from the West, as well as citrus fruit and some produce from the

For all that, there are few luxuries in food stores during the winter. No fresh vegetables are available other than red and white cabbage, and potatoes and carrots of uneven quality.

The hothouses at Golzow, as elsewhere in East Germany, are not used to grow lettuce and tomatoes in the winter months as energy is deemed too expensive.

Instead, they are used to plant vegetables in the winter, which are set out in the early spring and harvested in May, the first fresh product East Germans have seen in seven months.

The collective farmers here normally work a five-day week in shifts and receive overtime pay for extra harvest work. Holidays are between 18 to 24 days and many farmers have travelled to other East European countries and the Soviet Union. Mr. Kliezke says the median annual income is EM 9,600, plus food worth another EM 1,000. Co-operative farmers pay no tax.

East German agriculture has a high number of elderly farmers, and to encourage younger people to join co-operatives credits of EM 10,000 are provided to couples wanting to build a home. A growing number of East German city dwellers are considering migrating to the countryside, partly because it is easier to find somewher to live.

Only a few years ago, a collective farm chairman insisted to a Westerner that the average East German farmer no longer wanted to live in a private home as he preferred the "social advantages" of multi-family dwellings. At the Golzow farm, they are proud of the owner-occupied farmhouses built with government credits of up to EM 100,000 at 1.5 per cent

The homes can be inherited but if there are no heirs the state has the first right to buy them.

Everyone here is aware that, apart from vastly different climatic conditions, East German farming is a model of efficiency compared with Soviet agriculture. Mr. Kliezke explains that because of the Soviet Union's enormous "armaments responsibility" it cannot invest enough in agr-

The farm's Communist Party secretary, Mr. Wolfgang Supau, quickly adds: "We have learned a great deal from the Soviet Union. We use Soviet tractors and adopt Soviet successes. But, as Leonid Brezhnev noted at the 26th party congress, the learning and tea-ching is on both sides. Soviet experts also learn from us."

Unlike the Soviet collective farmer, who puts an extraordinary amount of time into his private plot where yields are higher, East German farmers receive enough incentives to concentrate on their specialised work in the cooperatives. At home, they keep mainly chickens but buy their milk and meat in the state stores.

Now, though, the government has appealed to allotment gar deners to raise vegetables.

While Mr. Kliezke's farm is an apparent success, he admits that some bigger "industrial crop and cattle farms" copied from the Soviet state farms, with 4,000 head of cattle in endless rows, have been abandoned because they "weren't very good."

"For one thing," he noted, what do you do with all that manure that accumulates every

(Financial Times news feature)



Mr. Yao Tianshe-before operation



Mr. Fao holding a cigarette with his new "hand"

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN € 1981 by Chicago Tribune

East-West vulnerable. North

♥ QJ104 ♦ KQJ5

♠ AJ63 **♦ K**8 ♥853 ♦ 1084 J 107 SOUTH **+10742**

♥ A 972 OA62 **4**82 The bidding:

North East South West Pass 1 ♥ Pass 3 ♡ Pass 4 ♥ Pass Pass Pass Opening lead: Queen of .

One of the best books we have read in a long time is "Partnership Defense in Bridge" by Kit Woolsey (Devyn Press, 1327 Walnut St., Shelbyville, Ky. 40065, 303 pp., paperback, \$8.95). Most books on defensive play concentrate on one hand only. But bridge is a partnership game, in the play of the cards as well as in the bidding. Woolsey sets out to show how the actions of both

For example, consider this hand from the book. To test your defense, cover up the East and South hands and im-

defenders are inter-related.

agine you are sitting West defending against four hearts. You lead the queen of clubs, won by the king as partner contributes the three. Declarer runs the queen of hearts from dummy to your king. What do you lead to the third trick?

The answer lies in the card partner played to the first trick. The three of clubs was a discouraging card, suggesting a shift. The obvious switch is to a spade - partner can't want a diamond shift, in unlikely to go away. And if he wasn't prepared for a spade, he would simply have played a high club at the first trick to request that you continue that suit.

But it is not enough to shift to the ace of spades. You should cater to the possibility that partner has the doubleton king of spades. Lead a low spade. Partner wins the king, returns a spade to your ace and ruffs the spade continuation for a one-trick set.

The price of the book may be slightly high, considering that it is a paperback. But buy it all the same-you should recover the outlay in one evening's bridge even if you play for very low stakes.

Note one point in the bidding. South had no hesitation in going to game after his partner made a jump raise. Two aces is an excellent holding opposite a partner who could make a jump



children. My marks show Stanley's growth!"









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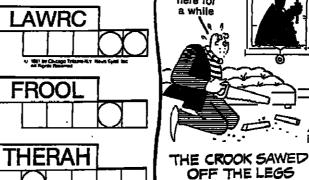












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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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HE COULD DO THIS.

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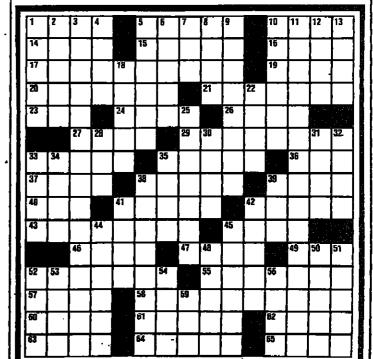
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Puerto Rican group claims responsibility

Explosion kills one at JFK; two other pipe bombs found

New York, May 17 (A.P.) — A third pipe bomb was found in the Pan American World Airways terminal at **Kennedy International Airport** early this morning, less than 20 hours after a bomb exploded inside the terminal and killed an airport employee.

But before city bomb squad police could get to the terminal, an anonymous caller warned police that yet another bomb -- a fourth -was somewhere in the building. Police completely evacuated the

The most recently discovered bomb -- the third -- was found around 5:15 a.m. (0915GMT) in a women's rest room near the front of the circular Pan Am building, according to airport police. Police said they did not immediately determine whether the callet represented the same group that claimed responsibility for the first

Yesterday morning, a man with a Spanish accent, saying he represented the Puerto Rican Armed Resistance Group, telephoned airport police minutes before the explosion at 9:40 a.m. (1340 GMT) to warn that two bombs -- one at the Pan American World Airways terminal and a second aboard Pan Am Flight 403 for Guatemala -

Peking reports fresh fighting, 150 Vietnamese troops killed

But the Vietnamese had con-

The reported clash apparently

tinued with the artillery bom-

bardment up to the time the des-

preceded the sending of a Chinese

protest note yesterday to the Vie-

tnamese embassy in Peking, acc-

using Hanoi of repeated armed

provocations and intrusions in the

tnamese troops were continuing to

carry out military manoeuvres

which it said meant they were pre-

paring 'bigger aggressive adv-

The biggest clash previously reported by the Chinese took

place on May 7 when Peking says

its troops killed more than 100

Vietnamese soldiers who had int-

raded into Mengdong Commune

in neighbouring Yunnan Pro-

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patch was filed, the paper said.

PEKING, May 17 (R) — China said today its armed forces killed more than 150 Vietnamese troops yesterday in the biggest reported border clash since the Sino-Vietnamese border war two years

The official People's Daily said a Vietnamese regiment had intruded into a Chinese border -commune in Guangxi Province.

Chinese border guards counter-attacked and fought off five Vietnamese assaults, shooting dead more than 150 of the regiment, the paper said.

The report said the Vietnamese staged the four-pronged attack early yesterday under cover of concentrated artillery fire aroundthe Xiashi Commune in Guangxi's Ningming County.

In six hours, five Vietnamese assaults had been repulsed by Chinese troops, the People's Daily

Both the airliner and the terminal were evacuated safely and no others serious injuries were reported. The jetliner was evacuated safely and no bomb was found there,

but a bomb exploded in the rest room at the terminal. Alex McMillan, 19, of New York City, an airport employee, died 71/2 hours later from "multiple wounds from the blast," hospital sources said.

FBI spokesman Donald Richards said a second bomb was found about 6 p.m. (2200 GMT) near Gate 18 of the Pan Am terminal. Airport spokeswoman Lou Hammond said the terminal was closed for three hours while the FBI and police bomb squad removed the

device. She said eight flights were delayed. A bomb squad spokesman said the device, which was not described, was taken to a police firing range in the Bronx to be detonated or taken apart.

Mr. Richards said the second bomb was of a "higher explosive force," than the one that exploded earlier.

Fern Giambatista, an airport authority spokeswoman, said the terminal would remain closed until the FBI and police bomb squad completed their search and detonated the device.

Mr. Richards said no one had called to take responsibility for the second device.

The Puerto Rican Armed Resistance Group previously claimed responsibility for two pipe bombs that exploded in lockers at Manhattan's Pennsylvania station last Dec. 21, causing damage but no

Police said the group is believed to be a splinter of the FALN, a Puerto Rican nationalist organisation which has claimed responsibility for many bombings across the country.

IRA will have another 'martyr' in three days

BELFAST. May 17 (R) — Jailed Irish Republican Army (IRA) hunger-striker Raymond McCreesh is expected to die in the next three days, Republican sources said today.

They said 24-year-old McCreesh, who has fasted for 57 days. was given the last rites last night and was extremely weak, almost totally blind and slipping into a

A British government spokesman said his condition "continued to deteriorate."

McCreesh, serving a 14-year term for firearms offences, is one of four hunger-strikers at the prison fasting to win political status

for jailed IRA guerrillas. The British government says they are common criminals and should be treated as such.

Pasty O'Hara, who has also fasted for 57 days, is unable to hold down water and has blurred vision, the sources said. In the past three weeks two

hunger-strikers, Bobby Sands and Francis Hughes have died and have been replaced by other gue-

The IRA, fighting to drive Britain from the province, says it will maintain the number of hungerstrikers at four until their demands

Schmidt waves out resign trump again

German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt today threatened indirectly to resign if his Social Democratic Party (SPD) dropped its support for NATO policy on nuclear missiles.

He told a local party congress at Wolfratshausen, in Bavaria, that if the SPD rejected NATO's plan to station new U.S. medium-range missiles in Western Europe while offering Moscow arms talks "then I can no longer bear responsibility."

Mr. Schmidt was speaking four days before meeting President Reagan in Washington. It was the second time this week-end that he had warned his party be might resign over the missiles issue.

He told party officials in the industrial Ruhr yesterday that he would stand or fall by his commitment to implement both parts of the so-called NATO "doubledecision.

The chancellor said today Bonn's foreign policy must be consistent, based on military balance, and could not be altered every year not even by party congress decisions.

India deploys battleships to island in Bay of Bengal

NEW DELHI, May 16 (A.P.) — India has deployed battleships in the vicinity of a newly emerged island in the Bay Of Bengal "to counter the provocative presence of three large Bangladesh patrol craft in the region," an Indian government spokesman said yes-

The 12-square-kilometre Isiand, variously known as "New Moore," "Purbasha" and "South Tulpatty," is claimed both by India and Bangladesh. It is located in the estuary of the rivers Haribhanga and Raimangai.

Spokesman J.N. Dixit said the Indian External Affairs Secretary R.D. Sathe has "lodged a strong protest" to Bangladesh High Commissioner Abul Ehsan against the "presence of Bangladesh gunships and the launching of an anti-India campaign in Bangladesh media."

However, Mr. Ehsan told the Associated Press that it was he who had called on Mr. Sathe to

'Sandhaya' last Saturday into our territorial waters." The protest, made on Monday said the Indian warship "landed uniform-wearing personnel on the island," Mr. Ehsan said.

During his meeting with Mr. Sathe, the Indian external affairs secretary "complained to me that certain Bangladesh gunships are visible in the vicinity" of the Island Mr. Ehsan said, adding that he believed that India had now dispatched its frigate, "Andaman 6" to the area.

Indian officials said that Bangladesh's "highly provocative action" appeared to be linked with the scheduled return to Dacca today of the self-exiled daughter of Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, the founder of Bangladesh who was assassinated in a military coup in

Hasina Sheikh Wazed, a staunch opponent of President Ziaur Rahman's regime who has been renew Bangladesh's protest aga-inst "the entry of the Indian ship for the trial of her father's slayers. living in India, has vowed to fight

Father tries to starve Siamese twins to death

CHICAGO, May 17 (A.P.) -Eleven-day-old Siamese twins used comment last night and who allegedly were denied food would not release the names of father were in fair condition and had gained weight since being taken into protective custody by the state, a top child welfare official said. The male twins weighed less

than 3.2 kgs when they were taken into protective custody Wednesday, according to Mr. Gregory Coler, director of the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services.

Mr. Coler said the twins, whom he described as "severely deformed," weighed almost 4.5 kgs at

On Friday, Vermilion County Circuit Judge John Meyer granted temporary custody of the twins, joined at the waist, to the state.

Allegations that the twins were not properly cared for were contained in a petition filed Friday by the Vermilion County state's attomey's office. The petition said the twins were not given food. water, oxygen or necessary medical treatment after their birth May 5.

since birth at the request of their any hospital officials who might be available for comment spokeswoman at Children's Memorial said the hospital would not release information about the twins and referred inquiries to the family's attorney, who could not be reached for comment. Judge Meyer did not permit reporters to view the petition until

A supervisor at Lakeview ref-

the names of the parents, the hospital and the doctors involved had been blocked out. However, Mr. Coler said the twins were born to the wife of a Danville-area physician at Lakeview. Mr. Coler said the twin's

physician-father had told the attending physician at the hospital not to give the twins food or water.

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U.S. baseball standings

American League

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18	11	.621
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Toronto 4, Cleveland 1 Detroit 1, California 5 Baltimore 7, Minnesota 0 Kansas City 7, Boston 6 New York 7, Seattle 5 Milwaukee 6, Oakland 5 Chicago 9, Texas 1

Saturday's games

East

National League

	w	L	Pct.
St. Louis	18	9	.667
Philadelphia	20	13	.606
Montreal	18	14	.563
Pittsburgh	12	15	.444
New York	8	21	.276
Chicago	5.	24	.172
West	•		
Los Angeles	- 25	9	.735
Cincinnati	19	14	.576
Atlanta	. 18	15	.545
San Francisco	18	19	.486
Houston	17	18	.486

Saturday's games

Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 0 Montreal 5, San Francisco 0 St. Louis 6, Atlanta 2 Houston 6, Chicago 1 Los Angeles 9, New York 0 San Diego 2, Philadelphia 1

Andrea Jaeger beats Tracy Aust

TOKYO, May 17 (A.P.) — Andrea Jaeger overcame a slow to defeat fellow American Tracy Austin today and wo \$200,000 Gunze World Tennis Tournament before 5.300 ctagors at the Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium. The 15-yea Jaeger claimed first place money of \$30,000 by beating seeded Austin, playing her first competitive tournament in months, 3-6, 6-3, 7-6 (9-7). Asked whether her parents gavany advice, Jaeger replied: "My father advised me to play. ressive tennis when I get on the court because Austin has playing well so far in the tournament. Austin, who picke \$15,000 for second place, said "I want to congratulate Anda winning and also for playing fine tennis today." Asked abou third set tiebreaker, Austin said." I did not play competitive ugh. I was disappointed." Austin said she will not compete French Open May 25-31 but will take part in the Wimb championships in late June.

'Forgotten men who had no choice other than to

Other side of Irish coin

Lady pilot plans **London-to-Paris** solar-power flight

SHAFTER, California, May 17 (A.P.) - A 30-year-old woman has piloted the world's only solar-powered aircraft to a record 3505-metre altitude and is planning a London-to-Paris flight this summer.

"I tried to go 13,000 feet," (3,962 metres), said Janice Brown, an elementary school teacher who on Friday took the Solar Challenger on a record 61/2-hour flight past its previous peak altitude of 1067 metres. "But the wind was about 30 mph (48 kph) and every time I took the nose up I was blown back."

At one point the winds blew the light plane 13 kilometres from the airport, located about 32 kilometres northwest of Bakersfield. It took Mrs. Brown about 30 minutes to get back. The Challenger is powered by

16,128 solar cells that generate up to 3,500 watts directly from the Sun to the craft's single engine.

Ray Morgan, project engineer for aviation pioneer Paul Mac-Cready's unorthodox new craft,: said the Challenger will need to reach 4420 metres on the flight. across the English Channel if the London-to-Paris flight takes

LONDONDERRY, May 17 (A.P.) — Five women whose husbands have been killed by Irish Republican Army (IRA) guerrillas have launched a crusade to counter the IRA's worldwide propaganda triumph over the deaths of hunger-strikers Bobby Sands and Francis Hughes.

The widows are bitter about the way the hungerstrikers, both convicted gunmen, have been hailed as heroes while their slain husbands have become forgotten men, little more than statistics among the more than 2,100 known fatalities in Northern Ireland's 111/2 years of bloodshed.

"The world needs to know that the IRA are not folk heroes fighting to free their country," said Sylvia Deacon, mother of four, whose husband David was killed by IRA gunmen in March 1973.

"These men are nothing but rotten terrorists. The whole world knows about Bobby Sands and Francis Hughes. But they had a choice whether they lived or died. My poor David had none. He was murdered in cold blood. I can never forget

The women are all Londonderry Protestants.
The IRA's "Provisional" wing is fighting to end British rule in the province and reunite it with the overwhelmingly Catholic Irish Republic.

Northern Ireland's million-strong Protestant majority fiercely opposes any merger.

"We realise that our lives may be in danger by coming out into the open like this," said 45year-old Mrs. Deacon. "But since our husbands were murdered we've all only had half a life anyway. We feel we must speak out and tell the world what hideous monsters these IRA gunmen really

Mrs. Deacon's 50-year-old husband will dier in the locally recruited Ulster Defend iment, a predominantly Protestant force members are a prime target for the "Prov far, 112 have been killed, mainly in ambush $\mathcal{P}_{i,j}^{b}$ they were off duty.

Mr. Deacon was kidnapped by masked and interrogated. His body, hooded, gage bound, was found several days later. He him to shot in the back of the head.

Marlene William lost a brother, Willia dead in March 1972. Ten months later by year-old policeman husband, Mervyn, was l an IRA bomb explosion.

"It's the worldwide sympathy shown these terrorists that makes us so angry," M son said. "All our men gave their lives for order. But nothing has changed. The kill-

Mrs. Baggley, 49, who has two childn' somberly: "A broken family never heals afu

ripped apart like that." Mary Cloete became a widow in 197-

English-born husband, Gerald, 54, was slaigunmen shot him on a Londonderry street of metres from his home. Hilda Wray's husband, David, was wound

gunman as he left home to patrol as a pol-ervist in 1978. It took him a year to recover was shot dead a few weeks after returning to he walked to church with his two young cl The widows have featured in a documen "the troubles" and they hope that it w

Irish-Americans supporting the "Provos." "We're just ordinary people," said Mrs. D. "There are many like us here. Maybe if sohelped us financially we could go to Ameri tell them what's really happening over here-

"It's the innocent people in Northern h. lwho need sympathy, not these killed in the

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